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CHINA'S FINANCES.

A PROMISING OUTLOOK.

LONDON, May 21. interviewed by the newspaper The Financia with regard to the Peking report of a financial crisis in China, a leading authority in London who is in constant touch with Chinese affairs gave an assurance that there was nothing in the situation which need cause alarm among, the investing was no hope unless all the nations seized public of Britain who were in anyway interested in China. Indeed the hold of the League and made it a reality. Chinese outlook might be regarded as distinctly promising in view of the discharging the duties of the League, singning of the consortium as between Japan and America. With Britain, should point out to Polland that her action France, America and Japan in agreement, a loan to China should stabilise conditions there and lead to a better international understanding with regard to Far Eastern finances generally.

AMERICAN ITEMS.

PANAMA CANAL TOLLS.

WASHINGTON, May 21.

President Wilson telegraphed congratulating Commander Evangeline Booth on the Salvation Army's war record, and hoping that the Army's appeal for funds would be most successful.

A deadlock was reached on the army reorganization bill which recently went to Congress. Some provisions are to be resubmitted to the House of Representatives with a view to modification.

Senator Borah introduced a bill restoring the free toll privileges of American coastal vessels using the Panama canal. The bill was referred to the inter-oceanic canals committee without discussion. The Bill, passed, would repeal the law passed at the request of President Wilson in 1914, equalising the toll charges to foreign and American vessels.

AMERICAN OIL SHORTAGE.

PANADENA, CALIFORNIA, May 18. Mr. Bedford, Chairman of the Standard Oil Company, has declared that the only way to find relief for the impending acute shortage of oil and petrol in the United States is through an aggressive foreign policy by involved at Spa to prevent action the United States Government. Carranza has been permitted consistently to discriminate against American oil-men and the result was that practically no Mexican oil entered the United States last year despite the fact that American holdings in Mexico exceeded those of the British.

United States oil corporation, with the object of developing all America's oil resources. Foreign countries shares could be sold privately but only a minority could go to foreign interests.

IMMIGRATION LAWS.

NEW YORK, May 19. Addressing the National Mapufacturers' Association, Senator Edge advocated a modification of the Immigration Laws in order to Permit of the influx of desirable immigrants and so meet the labour shoftage, but he proposed a process of Americanisation in order to prevent immigrants falling under the influence of Bolshevists.

THE JAPAN SOCIETY.

The coming of age dinner of the Japan society was held at Prince's Restaurant under the chairmanship of Baron Chinda. There was a distinguished company of Japanese and Britons. Lord Burnham toasted the Emperor and referred to the growth of Anglo Japanese relations and the value of the alliance for peace not only in the East, but the world. He expressed fervent admiration for Japanese enterprise and honour. Baron Chinda hoped that the Prince of Wales would some day visit Japan. An unsurpassable welcome would await him. Lord Swaythling toasted the services of the two empires. He said the services of the Japanese Navy wartime had never been sufficiently sung. Rear Admiral Iida, Naval Attache, referred to the heroic spirit and conduct of Admiral Craddock at Coronel, which was Nelson's spirit. Japan's Navy was undoubtedly endowed with the same spirit, because he had carefully studied Nelson's old doctrines. The speakers included Major General Jeffrey, K. Mori, Financial Attache, Stanley Manchin, chairman of the London Chamber of Commerce.

THE BIDDEN HAND

GERMAN ON THE STOCK EXCHANGE

LONDON, May, 19.

It is stated that the partners of one of the oldest and biggest firm on the London Stock Exchange have been suspended for two years and other firms have been cautioned owing to the discovery that a number of Japanese and Chinese bonds held by Germany had reached the London market from Holland, despite the regulations that each bond from abroad must be accompanied by a certificate that it had not been tenemy property.

MEXICO.

Washington, May 19. The Mexican Revolutionaries emphasise as most important that Yucantan has joined the revolution, indicating that the last remaining port of progress has yielded to the Provisional Government.

THE SWIFT COMPANYS SALES.

Sales by the Swift International Company, and the South American Subsidiary Swift Company aggregated 180 million dollars gold last year. The net earnings were approximately 10 million dollars.

PAINLEVE COMING.

PARIS, May 18, M; Painleve has departed for China.

"AMERIKA" IN COLOMBO.

COLOMBO, May, 18. Amerika " has arrived with 6,466 Czecho

EARLIER TELEGRAMS

(Rauter's Service to the China Mail.) POLAND'S WAR.

LONDON, May 20th. In the House of Commons on the motion of adjournment for Whitsuntide, Sir Donald Maclean requested information about the Lympne Conference, and hoped that M. Peincure's resignation would provide an opportunity for bringing the Reparations Commission under the League of Nations. He made an impassioned appeal for an active organisation of the League of Nations, declaring that there and was inimical to the peace of the world, besides being disastrous to Poland herself. who, although bankrupt and typhusstricken, still had an army of half a million, well-equipped, Sir Donald Maclean maintained that the Government must

Mr. Walter Cluiness maintained that the Government had neted perfectly correctly towards Poland and pointed out that the present state of war was due to the Bolshevists with whom the Poles had repentedly tried to negotiate.

have known about the preparations for

Mr. G. Lambert expressed alarm at the recent statement of Sir Henry Wilson that we needed an army as much as we did in

Mr. Churchill, interrupting, said that the statement did not imply that we were on the verge of a great catastrophe. We were in a period of great disturbance and increasing degeneration in many parts of the world, but anything similar to the German onrush in 1914 need not be expect-

Lord Robert Cecil complained that the unparalleled opportunity of making the League of Nations a reality was lost by not referring the Polish-Russian dispute Mr. Bonar Law said the Lympne Conference discussed the agenda of the Spa

Conference first, the paramount item of which was disarmament, but the Conference was unwilling to allow the delay meanwhile. Arrangements for pressing forward disarmament were proceeding. Referring to reparation. Mr. Bonar Law pointed out that the Treaty of Versailles allowed Germany to propose a total sum, instead of the arrangements laid down by WASHINGTON, May 19. the Treaty. The Allies hoped such a pro-in the senate, Mr. Phelan introduced a bill for the creation of a general feeling lat Lympner that, if possible, a fixed amount should be paid. He was not in a position to give the

figure provisionally suggested. In a lengthy explanation of the attitude of the British Government towards Russia and Poland. Mr. Bonar Law discinimed the desire to make war on Russia. He maintained that the kind of Government the Soviet professed was contrary to human nature and could not last. The way to create a reasonable situation in Russia was to allow the Russian people

to work out their own salvation. It was by opening up trade, much more than armament, that the Bolshevik Government

will be put down. Dealing with Poland, Mr. Bonar Law said a small quantity of ammunition had been given to Potand as an ally and was intended to enable them to defend themselves against an attack of the Bolsheviks which was threatened in October, 1919; but Poland had been informed that Great Britain would not take the responsibil for advising peace or war, although the opinion of the British Government was

LONDON, May 18th. The Morning Post states that Russian newspapers which have reached. Copenhagen report that the sikince of the wireless was due to a huge fire, which was accompanied with violent explosions starting in an ammunition depot near the ireless station. The explanation is no altogether convincing as Moscow has three high power stations. Moreover, since the brief communique on Sunday the wireless has again been silenced.

LONDON, May 18th. It is understood that, on the Polish front, Pilsudski has fully consolidated the line on the Dnieper above Kieff to Beresina. The Reds have concentrated large reinforcements near the Polish bridgehead, just beyond Kieff, where violent Red counter-offensive is in pro-The Poles have repulsed four assaults with heavy Red losses. On the extreme Polish left on the Dvina, the Boisheviks were counter-attacking with five divisions, but were immediately checked by the Poles who report that the position is excellent in all sections.

CANADIAN BUDGET

Offawa, May 19th. The Budget delivered to the Dominion House of Commons showed a glowing financial position.

The Finance Minister stated that the excess of imports over exports during the five years ended March, 1915, aggregated \$826,000,000, while for the five years ended March, 1920, the exports exceeded the mports by \$1,803,000,000.

The imports from the Mother Country last year increased by \$53,000,000 over the previous year. . Recently there has been an increase in imports from Great Britain which last March exceed \$25,000,000. constituting a record.

The falling off in exports to Britain last year was due to the cessation of the huge output of munitions the previous year, but the greatest portion shown had already been replaced. The revenue last year registered a record. It was \$388,000,000 and exceeded the ordinary expenditure on war interest, pensions, and Holdiers' re-establishment by \$39,000,000. The currency position showed , that Canada was relatively in an exceedingly strong position with gold amounting to 43 per cent. of the total circulation as compared with 67 per cent. before the war.

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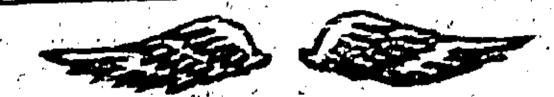
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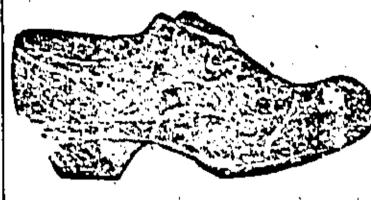
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A monthly letter of the Farmers and Merchants National Bank, Los

Angeles, says: Item by item, the criminal extravagance in carrying on America's part in the great war is gradually being unfolded. The government preached thrift to the public while its officials threw away the money patriotically raised by loyal people, as if it were the merest trash. recent investigation developed the fact that there were purchased, by some one in authority, enough army saddles to give each horse in the cavalry service not less than six saddles. The cost was enormous and the salvage literally nothing Recently, it has developed that acres of automobile tires, piled twenty feet high, were left out in the rain and snow and allowed to rot, in France. Hundreds of costly motorcycles, autom-

obiles and army trucks met the same fate. Construction of cantonments and war housing facilities reek with graft charges. A sub-committee of Congress reported that the War Department spent \$1,051,000,000 for aviation, during the nineteen months of the war, and that but 213 American-made planes reached the front None of these were combat, pursuit or bombing planes. The American forces were supplied with planes bought from the Allies, and of such inferior character that one American killed for every of flying, against one for every 1031 hours flown by the English and French aviators. of that, not millions, billions of feet of

best spruce timber in the world, cu in inaccessible places, now lies rotting on the ground. clares that five million dollars were | Colonial Pharmacist. wasted on a nitrate plant near Cincinnati. Of the total six millions only went into labour and materials. this class of criminals.

The soldiers in the field were not to blame in being unable to take care of supplies which were sent them in such abundant quantities. The graft, where graft occurred, was in the buying. We may expect, in America. a new crop of millionaires from these sources. Every last one of those, if any, who made a single illegitimate cent out of the government while in distress, should be in the penitentiary for life. Conscience never brings distress to a thief, and it can only be hoped that mental, moral and phy-

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BRITISH CHEMISTS NEW PRODUCTS.

The 21st annual Chemists' Exhibition, which was opened at the North- | C.P.S.O. fleet, has returned to Liverampton Polytechnic Institute, Clerk- pool to sail again to Canada. The enwell, is, says the Times, an epitome liner was commissioned August 14, of pharmaceutical achievement since 1914, to November 11, 1918, and the the early Victorian period. Ex- total milage covered was 221,102 amples of the first-made pill—the miles, the total coal consumption old "bolus"-manufactured in 1839, being 127,590 tons. The sceamer left are shown together with the Liverpool August 23, 1914, and joinlatest sugar-coated tabloid prepared ed the 9th cruiser squadron, patrol-

selection of the ingredients and "get- and will now be one of the most ting up" of new British scents and comfortable steamers cossing the cosmetics, and an attractive feature Western Ocean. of this section is a symmetrical flask of perfume with a figure of the sitting The chairman of a congressional Buddha as a stopper. The exhibition sub-committee of investigation de- has been organized by the British and

expended on this plant, one million sical disorders will be visited upon Five millions went for administration. Even where losses have resulted overhead and commissions. Hog from dishonesty, there is now no Island also lived up to its name, as | redress. Criminal prosecutions, when justified, will be expensive for the government and not result in any substantial reimbursements. "Wastage of the War" must be the final account in which all Ill advised or dishonest transactions will finally be

> Are the American people learning anything from this painful experience? Under the pecessity of another strenuous exertion, such as the nation put forth during the war, would they again dig similar pitfalls. and blindly tumble into them? As the years go by the shameful waste of our unpreparedness, and of our petty politics in conducting the war, will become further apparent, and should bring to the nation a sense of shame and hamiliation.

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AUSTRALIA AND THE OIL SUPPLY.

MELBOURNE, May 21.

The House of Representatives passed the third reading of the Anglo-Persian Oil Agreement.

DEVONSHIRE: HOUSE A KINEMA THUATRE:

LONDON, May 19.

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A BOLSHEVIK REFORT. LONDON, May 19. A Bolshevik wireless claims that the Reds advanced and captured a

AUTHORITY ON PAPER SHORTAGE.

number of villages on the right bank of the Dnieper. It states that fighting

LONDON, May 19.

Wyndham Dunstan, member of mady Government committees, discussing the paper shortage points out that South Africa is rich in esparto grass but wattle bank promises far greater results. He also advocates the cultivation of bamboo, especially in the Malay States, India, and Singapore which are most suitable. He suggests the formation of a consumers' association to encourage the production of pulp in the colonies and dependencies.

A PRO. NOTE CASE.

is proceeding fourteen miles from Kieff.

SOMMARY COURT JUDGMENT.

Judgment was delivered by the Puisne Judge, Mr. Justice Wood, in the Summary Court this morning in the case in which Mangha or Mahinga sued Harnam Singh for £200 claimed as the amount due by defendant to plaintiff on a promissory note dated on or about May 8, 1913. The promissory note was lost but plaintiff was prepared to indemnify the defendant against the claim of any person or persons in respect of it.

It was alleged for the plaintiff. whose case was conducted by Mr. C. F. Mason, that defendant failed birch. to pay the amount due and after a Summary Court action was committed to the debtor's jail in default of payment. Upon signing a new promissory note for the \$200 principal and \$25 costs, defendant was released from jail on the agree-\$25 monthly. Defendant failed to instalments

several times admitted his debt. as defendant refused to pay until it, mary Court. was produced proceedings were: instituted against him. After the issue of the writ the promissory plaintiff.

an Indian friend as he did not wish to have personal contact with a man who had him committed to the debtors' jail, the full amount due under the promissory note.

In giving judgment for the plaintiff this morning, His Lordship observed that plaintiff was suing on a cause of action which accrued to him more than three years before the date on which the action was commenced. He had received within three years of the commencement of the action from the defendant acknowledgment of the debt_cfairned. He was therefore not restricted by the Ordinance which said that actions for sums not exceedof the "Supreme Court (Summary Jurisdiction) Ordinance 1873 " relating to the limitation of actions were not to be read as cumulative to the earlier limitations provided by statute, but as laying down a new course of summary procedure in which the legal remedy under the Ordinance was liable to extinction by the lapse of three years, but could be revived by an acknowledgment three years before the issue-of the writ. His Lordship not be available if he were suing in successfully suc' in Summary Court Original Jurisdiction. He would suc- for \$1,000 by waiving the balance of department. The girls' school could inadequate. ceed in this court but fail in the higher his claim.

LOCAL AND GENERAL.

The Sanitary Board meets on Tuesday at 4.15 p.m.

sugar, and for biting a watchman's observation which underlie hand to evade arrest, a Chinese em- science. In the upper school ployed at the China Sugar Refinery Queen's College, physics is was this morning, sent to jail for compulsory subject for all boys, three months' with hard labour.

with committing an indecent assault of sufficient class-room accommoda on a six-year-old girl at No. 56 tion, and that again was due to the Battery Street, Yaumati, was con- war. A scheme is now before the victed by Mr. R. O. Hutchison and Government for fully remedying this sentenced to twelve months' hard defect. It will be submitted in con labour and twelve strokes of the nection with next year's estimates

overcoat valued at £2.7.6. which was taught owing to lack of laboratory entrusted to him for alteration by a accommodation, which the above British sailor, for \$4, was this morning charged before Mr. R. O. Hutchison and remanded until next Thursment that he was to pay plaintiff day. Bail was allowed in the sum of \$25. Inspector Kent in applying

were remanded until the 29th inst.

rattan worker, was this morning and the matter was left to the Hon. arrangements as insanitary. charged before Mr. R. O. Hutchison, Mr., Lau Chu Pak for enquiry and at the instance of Inspector Kent report. with the unlawful possession of a | School Readers and Syllabus for globes and models of drawing. dagger in Morrison Gap Road at 5.40 Schools.—These were discussed but a.m. The defendant said he used no definite decision was arrived at. the dagger to split rattan. The Inspector said that in view of the addressed a letter to the Government as possible. recent vendetta between two hostile on the subject of improving normal

imposed. ing \$1,000 should be commenced occurred at the U Tak Sing Godown, to it, and their report had been staff. At one stage he had seriously within three years after the cause of No. 48 Praya, Kennedy Town, be circulated to the Board. The gist of considered the advisability of closaction unless there had been some tween two clans of coolies. Knives, his proposals was that nothing very ing some of the classes but they scknowledgment. The cause of action sticks and stones were used in the much could be done for vernacular had managed to drag along and it also accrued to him more than six battle," in the course of which a education until they could manage the schools were not so satisyears before the commencement of man named Chan Tsan was alleged to improve the number of qualified factory it was due to the shortage this action. His Lordship held that to have been stabbed in the breast vernacular teachers, and therefore in the permanent staff of fourteen the plaintiff's right was not restricted by a member of the hostile it was desirable that there should out of 28 teachers. He was in by the Statute of Limitations as he clan named Mak Wah, who has be some normal training. With sympathy with the suggestion that adopted the view that the provisions escaped arrest. It took a strong that end in view he suggested that parents should see that their children posse of Police to stop the fight. two mormal schools should be attend school regularly. Only three of the fighters were formed, one for men and one for Dr. Pearce said that the question arrested, the others succeeding in women teachers. The proposal as of equipment should be carefully getting away while the Police were regarded the Normal School for men gone into. He moved that the attending to the wounded man, who teachers was that that Government Headmaster of the Kowloon British expired a few minutes after he re-ishould arrange with the Man Mo School be asked to report on the ceived the wound. His body has temple authorities and get them to necessary equipment. been removed to the mortuary. The consent-to the Normal School for The Rev. A. D. Stewart seconded three arrested men are in Police vernacular men teachers being housed and the motion was agreed tocustody.

observed that with this view the plain- be that a plaintiff with a claim for tiff's remedy, which he held to sur- more than \$1,000, though without

result. His Lordship pointed out, would for the plaintiff with costs.

EDUCATION BOARD.

REPORT ON ENGLISH ECHOOLS

THE NEED FOR TEACHERS.

A meeting of the Education Board was held yesterday evening at the Sanitary Board offices. Hon. Mr. E. A. Irving presided and there were present: Rev. Dr. Pearce, Rev. A. D. Stewart, Rev. Fr. P. de Maria, Mr R. E. O. Bird, Mr. S. W. Tso, Mr. A. R. Cavalier, A. F. Silva Netto, A. F. Arculli, Mrs. Hickling, and Mr. Y. P. Law (Secretary).

THE TEACHING OF SCIENCE. Dr. Pearce asked: Has the Chair man seen an article that appeared in

the Daily Press of April 19th? The Chairman: The answer to the

question is "Yes." Dr. Pearce: If so, has he any statement to make in connection with it?

The Chairman: The article refers to and criticises the constitution of the Education Board, on the ground that none of its members "know anything about the teaching elementary and scientific principles, and suggests that the Board should be strengthened in this direction. I am not prepared to accept this

criticism of the Board as it stands: but, on the other hand, the constitution of the Board is not unchangeable Should it decide at any time that its constitution requires amendment it is at liberty to make suitable representations to the Government, which would, no doubt, give them its careful attention. I should, however, deprecate for my part any such action on the part of the Board, unti it shall have been in existence long: enough to arrive at a mature conclusion. As to the teaching o elementary science in schools it is by no means neglected. In the lowest classes it takes the form of object lessons on common subjects and For the theft of a quantity of stimulates those powers of reasoned

except such as desire a purely commercial education. The study The Chinese who was charged has been hampered through the lack and will, I sincerely hope, meet with the approval of the Government. A tailor who pawned a service Chemistry has not hitherto been

> mentioned scheme provides for. VERNACULAR SCHOOLS. The following is the report the Vernacular Committee:-

Vernacular Normal School.— then discussed: for the remand, said that Mr. C. F. Correspondence C.S.O. No. 876/1920 of his money, were again before Mr. admitted to the first year, two attendance. For the defence, which was con- R.O. Hutchison this morning, when should be free scholars, who should Kowloon British School: The Comducted by Mr. D. H. Blake, it was on the application on Inspector Kent be selected upon the result of a mittee are of opinion that the staff

> Director of Education. A Chinese who said he was a tion from Yaumati was considered, British School. They regard the

The Chairman stated that he had teachers should be appointed as soon in the large school buildings which were now being erected. The point | ment be asked to install a water closet was raised by the Vernacular Com- system in the Kowloon British

court on the same facts. A second in Judgment was accordingly entered Girls School, which was large and motion was agreed to I had 500 to 600 pupils, and a strong . The meeting then terminated.

THE 'VARSITY RAG.

IMPROVEMENT ON PREVIOUS EFFORTS.

EFFECT OF DISCIPLINE.

Speaking as a connoisseur, writes a London correspondent, who in his day has gone through a good deal of that, the "rag" which followed the Varsity sports and boat race was a distinct, improvement on previous efforts. I The number of undergraduates in London (probably because of the double even) was much larger than usual, and the military Shipping Board vessels are so detraining which most of them have had brought a kind of discipline

into their uproariousness, which made it much more effective. Though I belong to the other place myself, there seems no doubt that this is a Cambridge year. The boatrace: was theirs, anyhow, even if Oxford had won the toss, and in the golf match the other day they hopelessly outclassed their opponents. There is a good deal of talk going on in "Varsity clubs, moreover, as to the increasing preponderance of the Rhodes scholars in the Oxford team: To Cambridge critics the Oxford people reply that a Rhodes scholar is just as much, a member of the University as anybody elseequally entitled to com-

pete. The Cantab retort to this that athletics is one of the items in the competition by which Rhodes scholars are selected and that there is therefore a semi-professional tinger about the whole business. As a matter of fact taking athletic prowess into account in accepting undergraduates for residence in a college is not unknown either at Oxford or Cambridge when public schoolboys are concerned. If a boy is a successful car at Eton; our wordly wise heads of college with ambitions for their place in the Eights or the Mays are not above winking at, shall we say, a slight haziness in regard to the rudiments of Greek.

staff of vernacular teachers. submitted the proposals for the consideration of the Board and he moved that the recommendation contained in the Director of Education's report, dated March 29th, 1920, on provision of two Normal Schools be adopted with the proviso that the Normal Schools for men should not involve any additional expenditure on the Man Mo School authorities.

Mr. Cavalier seconded, and the motion was agreed to.

ENGLISH SCHOOLS. The following recommendations of

the English Schools Committee were Peak School: The Committee are the shipbuilders in Great Britain and Mason who was retained for the having been circulated was con- of opinion that the present staff is America who are building tankers for

The promissory note was lost and defence was engaged at the Sum- sidered. The Sub-Committee ap inadequate and that permanent teaproved the recommendations of the chers should be appointed as soon as liveries of vessels so as to prevent a Director of Education on the under- possible. (2) They regret that the famine in oil for fuel purposes. The two Chinese who were standing that the Normal Classes at parents have a tendency to regard arrested and charged with stabbing the Man Mo School should be main- with indifference regular attendance opened up and delivering, the lack of note was found and during the case a mote, chauffeur in Praya East tained at the expense of the Govern- of their children. The efficiency of a supplies from Russia would not be so was puts in as evidence for the sometime ago, with intent to rob him ment. Of the 20 students to be school depends largely upon regular keenly felt. A great deal will depend

asserted that notwithstanding failure who said the victim was still in hos public examination: the remaining here also is inadequate and that perto produce the promissory note the de- pital and would not be able to be to pay a fee of \$12 per annum. The manent teachers should be appointed. fendant had paid the plaintiff, through discharged for a long time yet, they question of staffing was left to the (2) That the water closet system should be applied to this school as at Girls' Night School.—An applica the Peak School and the Victoria

(3) That the equipment is inadequate particularly in respect of maps,

Victoria British School: The Committee are of opinion that permanent

The Chairman said that the staff gangs of rattan workers, he would vernaculareducation. The letterwas of the Education Department had ask his Worship to take a serious sent before the Board came into been depleted badly owing to the war view of this case. A fine of \$50 or existence, otherwise it would have and the rush for leave that followed one month's hard labour was been addressed to the Board, to whom it. He was expecting from Home ten the letter had been referred. The lady teachers and four men "who At 12.45 a.m. a faction fight Vernacular Committee had attended would make a great difference to the

Mrs. Hickling moved that Govern-

mittee whether that would result in School as had been done in the Peak additional expenditure on the Man School and the Victoria School. Mo School authorities. That was not | She said the Kowloon school had the vive in Summary Jurisdiction, would remedy in Original Jurisdiction, might his intention at all. Any additional most pupils and it was necessary. experiditure would be borne by the The present arrangements were

be conveniently housed in the Belilios Rev. Fr. Maria seconded and the

OIL BURNERS MAY REVERT TO COAL.

On account of so many of the best oil fields being unavailable as sources of supply, such as Mexico, Mesopotamia, South Russia, and other districis, and further, on account of the unprecedented demand for oil and its refined products, shipping interests are becoming perplexed with the question of fuel for their vessels.

American ships, notably, have been going in for oil fuel very heavily, especially those from the West Coast of the United States.

Fortunately for some, many of the signed that they can easily be converted to coal burners within a short time. In the case of one company, orders were received for the conversion of six of their vessels, but after great rustling around sufficient oil was contracted for to keep, the ships in service as oil burners through July. As an instance of the case of conversion to coal burning of some of the Shipping Board ships, in a Japan port recently, orders were received on a specific date for the change to coal to be made, and, on the following morning, the boilers were. being heated with coal fires. In some cases as much time as two or three days is required for conversion.

Another difficulty arises in connection with American ships intended to burn oil No crews' quarters are available for the extra lot of engineroom force needed, such as coal, passers and firemen, and arrangements have to be built for the extra hands, whose wages, also, increase operation costs. In the case of vessels carrying Chinese crews to America, if coal burning is to be only temporary, it would involve shipping Chinese firemen and coal passers here for the trip to the United States and then bringing frem back free, as the immigration laws of America would not permit of their landing and, with oil fuel in use on the trip out from America, the men would be idle.

It is hoped that the Standard Oil Company will hasten its new tanker service, and equip its oil stations in the Far East in sufficient time to prevent inconvenience and, possibly, absolute disarrangement.

On account of the demand, the supply of oil has risen in price from \$4.60 to \$6.25, the supplies being in the hands of the Asiatic Petroleum ... Company, which Company it is understood, has four big tankers in operation, but which is taking orders subject to confirmation from London.

The large increase of motor transportation is also blamed for the decrease in market supplies of oil for marine purposes.

It is hoped that the international oil supplies will be opened up, and carrying oil will has en in their de-

With Mexico and Mesopotamia upon the stability of the new Mexican government now that Carranza has been ousted as its president.

SUGAR SHIPS.

A great many Hongkong shippers have been made glad recently by the unexpected demand for vessels to take rush sugar cargoes to America. The tonnage going out has been greater than any ever seen here, but one who knows says that this is only a temporary affair. In the first place, he says, the knowledge that America is sugar hungry is world-known and everyone who can get a supply of the sweet stuff will be looking for opportunities to sell to America. As far as Hongkong is concerned, shipments from here have mostly been of the refined product, which is brought up here from Java, the Philippines and Singapore for the purpose of being refined prior to exportation. However, he thinks that buyers in America will already have been reaching out to Java and the Philippines direct for raw cargo, which could be refined in America, and that American buyers. would be very foolish to wait for the refined product if they could get the raw material and burn it themselves. He thinks, however, that there is another phase to the matter. The American government is seizing hold. of sugar supplies right and left in America and making forced sales, and, in a big country like that, the chance to hoard on a large scale is very great. At any rate he does not think sugar will stay abnormally high in price very long.

THE FRUIT SEASON. DOWEL complaint is sure to be provalent during the fruit season. Be sure to keep a bot-Chamberlain's Colic and Districes Remedy at hand. It may save a life. For sale by all Chemists

and Storeke-pers.

SHIPPING INTERESTS BUSY.

MANY SHIPS CLEARING.

The shipping offices of Hongkong are very busy this morning in making, tian to-morrow there would be abto two cargo carriers.

third class passengers.

114 third class passengers.

ping board ships.

Samarang.

tain C. J. Lancasten. Manu," one of the new vessels of that workers of the world. Cuban posts.

TO-DAY'S STEAMER SALE.

Messrs. Lammert Bros., offered for sale by public auction, at noon to day, on instructions received from the mortgagees, the steamer "Wing On", late of the Hongkong-Canton run, as she now lies off Yaumati, together with all her furniture, stores, equip- on May 21: and her tonnage and dimensions, as set forth in the advertisement of sale, - are as follows: - Gross tonnage, 836 75; registered tonnage, 456.46; length, 193 feet; main breadth, 33 feet, and depth, 11.75 feet.

A large crowd attended the auction sale of the "Wing Cn" and the bidding was very lively, opening at the good figure of \$100,000.

After keen competition on the part of several groups of Chinese bidders, the ship was sold to Mr. Chan Shek Shan, the well known Chinese capitalist for \$122,500. As the ship is in good condition, and is well

"SOME" FISHING.

A STORY FROM KURDISTAN.

ing in the Kurdisan country. A lady Docks business took place at \$1501; who was recently there writes to a 1511 and shares are now wanted at we were out riding when we met some ceded slightly but shares are wanted Arabs with about a dozen donkeys in the North at Tls. 130. loaded with fish, and in almost every Miscellaneous.—The following are the biggest fish I've ever seen. The \$23, and Wisemans \$35. way the Arabs catch them is by throwing something in the river which makes a fish drunk. He then rises and flops helplessly about on the surface and the Arabs swim out and push him on to the banks and then pull him up with ropes." Here is new sport for the followers of Izaak Walton.

EX-SOLDIERS AND RUM. GOOD TEMPLAR'S REGRET.

An increase of over 10,000 mem- French protectorate to the skies, was reported at the Grand Lodge the admission that this sudden meeting of the Independent Order of like for Frenchmen was due to Good Templars recently at Sunder- unfortunate, misunderstanding. of the rum ration and the canteens. by the threefold sale of his estates.

"CUT-THROAT COMPETITION."

BISHOP OF LONDON'S PLEA.

"If the whole nation were Chrisarrangements to despatch their vessels solutely no reason why we should not which are scheduled to saill to-day be able to settle our most bitter inand to-morrow, three liners being dustrial disputes in a month," said scheduled to leave to-day, in addition the Bishop of London in a sermon at . St. Paul's Cathedral. He added The "Kashima Maru," 9,898 gross "Consider, for instance, the "questions, of the Nippon Yusen Kaisha, tion of the mines, in which the proleaves for Seartle and Victoria, via sperity and even the existence of our-Manila. Shanghai and Japan ports, at country might be wrecked in a few 14,00 a.m. ro-day. She is equipped years. Even such a burning question to carry 113 first, 56 second and 258 as the nationalisation of the mines ought to be approached without any The s.s. " Mishima Maru," of the bitterness, and, above all, without any N. Y.K., 7,900 gross tons, sails at poon, misrepresentation. I have read carefor London and Anwerp, via Singa- fully Mr. Frank Hodges's very fair pore, Penang, Colombo, Suez, Port and temperate statement for national-Sail and Marseilles. She carries S3 isation. I can imagine, though I have first, 30 second,, 22 intermediate and not yet seen one, an equally fair and able exposition of the case for the The P. & O. s.s. "Muttra," of the mine-owners. We could, most of us, British India-Apear Line, 4,644 gross state a case for the poor consumer. tons, leaves at 1,00 p.m. for Cal- pointing out that the coal was God's cutta via the Strais Semlements and coal, given to warm the human race, and that neither miner nor mine-The Pacific Mail Steamship Com- owner was free to dispute about it so Bombay-Per FORTHAND MARU. pany is despatching the s.s. "West, that the poorest among us cannot ob-Caddoa" to San Francisco direct, tain one of God's best gifts except at She is one of the Pacific Mail's ship- a prohibitive price. All this might be discussed, but it is obvious that it is The s.s. "Lake Farran," a cargo the spirit in which the discussion carrier operated by the Robert Dollar should be carried on that matters. Company for the account of the ship- But not one has the right to say we ping board, being one of the feeder should be content with a system that shirs to the Robert Dellar trans- kills a miner every six hours and Pacific service, Sails to-day for Soura- maims another every three minutes. baya, via Saigon, Singapore and It is only natural for everyone to see he gets the necessities of life as To-morrow. Sunday, the China cheaply as possible, but wrong to ask Mail Steamship Company despatches for this careless of whether the miner the s.s. "China," on another of her gets a fair return for what none of us fast twenty day runs to San Francisco. is capable or willing to do. It is for Shanghai. North China, Japan via The "China" is a vessel of 10,200 the miner, the owner, and the contons, very popular with the mavelling sumer to settle the matter on a Chrispublic. Her speed is 18 knots per tian basis. The industries of this hour, and she is commanded by Cap- country are well able, when they settle down, to give an adequate return On Monday, the Osaka Shosen to Capital, a fair return to manage-Kaisha despatches the s.s. "Alaska ment, and afford a full life for all the

Company on her regular voyage to "And unless we get this co-opera-New York, via Japan ports. San tion of nations to the common good of Francisco, the Panama Canal, and the world," concluded the Bishop, Swatow, Amoy and Foochow-Per HAI-"instead of the cut-throat competition to secure the markets of the world. another war is certain within fifty years, and probably within twenty Nations depends on the success of At their sale rooms, Duddell Street, the Christian spirit throughout the

Messrs, W. Logan & Co. report

ment and appurtenances etc. The "We have again to" report a quiet vessel is registered in Hongkong, week with the volume of business passing small. The only bright spot hanghai. is the continued advance in China Sugars which close strong with buyers offering \$232 cash and \$240 July: delivery. The Shanghai market also is dull with quotations purely nominal. Banks.-Hongkong "and Shanghai Straits, Banks changed hands at \$625/630.

Marine Insurances.—Unions sales took place at \$192½/195, but at the close are slightly weaker. The following are quoted nominal: Cantons \$445; Yangtszes \$245 x.d., and Far Easterns Tls. 171.

Shipping.—Douglases are quiet and favourably known in the river with sellers at \$87; "Indo-Chinas service, she will, no doubt, prove to (derected) were done at \$209 London: he a good investment to the buyer. Register. Steamboats changed hands She is commanded by Captain Gillen. at \$24 and more shares are wanted at that figure. Star Ferries are also Shanghai, and North China, Japan 'enquired' for at \$28.

Refineries.—China Sugars, sales have been reported for \$227/\$233 with further buyers at \$232. Malabons are firm with buyers at \$51.

Docks and Wharves -- Kowlcon Straits, Bangkos, Ceylon, Manritius, L. Wharves remain quiet with buyers at There seems to be some good fish- \$831 and sellers at \$86. Kowloon friend in India:- "A few days ago \$152\frac{1}{2}. Shanghai Docks "have re-

case one fish formed a donkey-load all buying quotations:---Cements and was as big as a man. The head \$6.90; China Lights, \$81 (old) and bhanghai, North China and Japan vis of the fish hung down to the ground \$64 (new); Dairy Farms \$234; Hongon one side of the donkey and the tail kong Trams \$61; Peak Trams (old) down to the other side. They were \$6.10; Steam Laundries \$41; Ropes

A PIOUS PILGRIM.

WHY HE LEFT MOROCCO.

good-bye to an Englishman. are nothing but Christians in city," he complained, "I can expressed surprise, as only a month bers in the adult and juvenile sections by a little tactful persuasion extracted land. At the same time the Grand Moor had sold his estates three times Chief Templar regretted that numbers, over to three different panies. "." They of members returning from military were so anxious to buy, he said, service had failed to come back to the pathetically, "that I had not the hear lodges." Alderman Hogg, chairman of to refuse them," Proceedings threatthe North of England Temperance ened, but the wily Fasi had depart-League, emphasised this, and said ed, and now lives in Mecca in the

post office.

The Hongkong Postal Guide for 1920, may now be obtained at the G.P.U. at 50 cents per copy.

Registered and Parcel Mails are closed 15 minutes earlier than the time given polow unless otherwise stated, and where malls are advertised to close before a.m. registered and parcel mails are closed at 5 p.m. on the previous day.

WHIT MONDAY.

The General Post Office will be open on Monday the 24th inst from 8 to 9 a.m. only. There will be one delivery of ordinary and registered correspondence and one collection correspondence from the Pillar Boxes. The Money Order Office will be entire-

INWARD MAILS.

SATURDAY, May 92. Europe (via Negapatam)-Per CAR-MARTHENSHIRE.
Straits—Per TSUSHIMA MARU. Shanghai-Per SINKIANO. Japan - Per EASTERN Australia and Manila-Per TANGO

MONDAY, May 34. Japan-Per SANUKI MARU. NATURDAY, May 29.

MARU.

OUTWARD MAILS.

SATURDAY, May 22. *Shanghai and North Chins-Per YING-CHOW, 3 p.m. Japan via Kobe *Vancouver and *Seattle -Per DELIGHT, 4 p.m. Holhow-Per TAISZEMA, 5 p.m. -Straits, Bangkok, Calcutta and Aden-

Fer LAKE GILPEN, 5 p.m. SUNDAY, May 23. Tourane-Per GEORGIE, 9 a.m. Swatow, Amoy and Formosa via Keelung-Per AMAKUSA MARU.

Japan vis Nagasaki - Per TANGO MARU, 9 a.m. Nagasaki, Honolulu, Carada, United States Central and South America and *FUROPE via. SAN FRANCISCO-Per Morning Service at 10.15 a ra. CHINA. Registration 9 a.m. Preacher: Rev S. W. Scholes. Letters 9 a.m.

MONDAY, May 24. Pakhoi a d Haiphong-Per KAIPING, Saigon-Per CHOYO MARU, 9 a m. TUESDAY, May 25.

Swatow and *Bongkok-Per CHIN-HUA, 10 a.m. LOONG, 1 pm. *Amoy and Straits-Per FOOSHING, Amoy, Shanghai and North China-

Per 1CHANG, 2 pm. years. The success of the League of Philippine Islands. "Capada. "United States, 'Central and South Mass at 6, 7 and 9.30 a.m. America and *EUROPE via High Mass at8 a.m. TESILAUS. Registration 1.45 p.m. Letters 2.30 p.m. Philippine Islands - Per TAMING.

WEDNESDAY, May 26. *watow and Straits-Per KANCHOW,

Philippine Islands, Australia, New Zea-- Per AKI MARU, Registration Sacrament. 8.45 a.m. Letters 9.30 a.m. North China, Japan

Canada, Nagasaki. States, Central and South America and EUROPE via VANCOUVER, B.C.—Fer EM-PRESS OF JAPAN. Registration 9.45 a.m. Letters 10.30 a.m. Bangkok, Ceylon, Mauritius, South Africa, L. Marques, India via Dhanushkodi, Egypt, and *EUROPE via SUEZ - Per STENTOR. Resistration 9.45

a.m. Letters 10.30 a.m. Weihaiwei. Chefoo and Tientsin-Per KUEICHOW, 11 a.m. Philippine Islands. Sardakan, 'ustralia, and New Zealand via THURS DAY ISLAND-Per TAIYUAN, Registration 1.65 p.m. Letters 2 30 p.m

THURSDAY. May 27. 'Shanghai and 'North China-Per SIN KIANG, 10 a.m. via Nagacaki. Honolulu, Canada, United States, Central South America, and *EUROPE VIN SAN FRANCISC -PI TENYO MARU, Registration 9.45 a.m. Letters 10.30 a.m.

FRIDAY. May 28. Marques South Africa India via Dranushkodi, Evypt. and ETROPE via MARSETLLES-VerSADO MARII, Registration 9 45 a.m. L. tter: 10.35 a m. Swatow, Amoy and Foothow-Per HAI-

 $H \cup NG$, I pini SATURDAY, May 29. Shanghai and North China - Per | CHE AN. 3 p.m. THURSDAY, June 3.

Kobe - Per RAMO MARU 10 a.m.

SUCCESSFUL BRI ISH ELECTRIC WELDING PROCE₅S

Rapid progress is being made with the special process of electric welding A Moor of Fez, who was leaving which was successfully employed by Morocco to live in Mecca, came to say the British Admiralty during the war "There in the construction of a "rivetless" my 1,000-ton steel barge for transport live purposes. The peculiarity of this there no longer." The Englishman process is the use of special electrodes covered with flux which prevents the before the Moor had been praising the oxidation of the welding metal. Further, by using electrodes and fluxes of special composition steel of any particular character-mild steel, nickel steel, high-tensile steel, vanadium steel, and so on-can be deposited direct. Cast from of good quality can also be obtained by this system of welding. Extensive repairs are being carried out in worn tramway trucks, cracked omnibus wheels. and old motor car shalts and a company has been formed for the production of welded motor car wheels. hundreds of young men who were pre- odour of, sanctity, purified by his pil- An important feature is that only a viously teetotalers had taken to drink- grimage from all sin, with the com- moderate amount of skill on the part ing during miliury service as a result fortable sum of a million france gained of the operator is required to secure satisfactory results,

CHURCH SERVICES.

Union Church, Kennedy Road. dorning Service. Il a.m.

Preacher: Ray, G. J. Williams. Eveni g Service. 4 p.m. Prescher: Rov. C. J. Williams.

St. Andrew's Church, Kowloon.

SSRD MAY 1990 -- WHIT SUNDAY.

Morning Prayer at 11 a.m. Hymn, 254; Venite, Chant 378; Parlma, 68-Chant 369 and 370; Psalm, Te Doum, 1st-Setting; Jubilate Dec, Chant 194; Rymn, . 258; Hymn, 4'3.

Evening Prayer at 6 p.m. Symn, 215—Tune 194—A. & Modera; Psalm, 145-Chant 323; Magnificat. Chant 68 ; Nune Dimittis Chant 177; Hymn, 261; Hymn, 580-Tune 208-A. & Modern: Vesper, Hymn. 39-(3rd Verse); Tune 163-A. & Moderr.

Bt. Peter's Church. West Point.

WHIT SUNDAY-May 23rd, 1920.

R.a.m.—Whitenn Communion. It a.m -Sung Eu harist and Procession.

Feak Church.

8,15 a.m.—Holy Communion... 8.30 p.m.—Evening Service.

First Church of Christ Scientist. MacDonnell Road.

Sundays, 14.15 a.m. Wednesdays, 5.30 p.m.

> Wesleyan Methodist Church. Wanchai.

WHIT SUNDAY 23RD MAY 1920.

Evening Service at 6 p.m. Preacher: Rev. S. W. Scholes.

Soldiers' and Sailors' Home, Arsenal Street.

Sunday Evening, Gospel Meeting, 8 p.m.

Glenealy.

Roman Catholic Cathedral,

VICTORIA, B.C. - Per PRO 5.30 p.m -Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament

> St. Joseph's Church, Garden Road.

Mass and Sermon at 10 a.m. followed ---- land via THUEDAY ISLAND by the Benediction of the Blessed

MOVEMENTS OF STEAMERS.

F. & A. S. S. Co. Ltd., s.s. Eastern left Moji for this Port on the 18th instant at 7 p.m. and is due here on the 22nd instant at about 4 p.m. The N.Y. K. s.s. Tango Maru (Australian) Line) left Manila for this port on the 20th May and is expected here on

the 22nd May. OP.O.S. Un.'s R.M.S. Mont agle arrived at Yokobama on the 20th May a.m. left there on the 20th May p.m. and is due at Kobe on the

The C. M. S. S. Co. will despatch the s.s. China to San. Francisco, via Shanginst. at Noon.

The C.P.O.S. Co.'s R.M.S. Empress of Russia arrived at Yokobams on the 14th May, left there on the 15th May and indust Vancouver on the 24th The N.Y.K. ss. Tsushima Haru (Liver-

pool Line left Singapore for this port on the 1 th May and is exprotect here on the 24th May. The N.Y.K. s.s. Sanuki Maru (Calcutts Line) left/Moji for this rort direct on the 19th May, and is expected

here on the 24th M.v. N.Y.K. s.s. Portland Mary (Rombay : Line) left Bombay for this part direct on the 9th May an 1 is expeded here on the 28th M.y.

C.P.O.S. Co's s.s. Matterna arrived at Karachi from Liverp of on the 19th May le ves the eabout 27th May and is due at Colombo about May 31. The N.Y.K. s.s. Awa Maru (Liverpool Line) left Glasgow for this port via

Suez on the 23rd April and is expected here on the 4th June. The .Y.K. a.s. Shinzai Muru (Combay. ine left Bombuy for this part direct on the 14-h May and expected here on the 4th Jn. e. The N.Y.K. s.s. Meichi Maru (Rombay

Line) left Dombay for this port direct on the 19th May and is expr:c ed here on the 6th June. N. V. K. s.s. Penang Maru (Liver pool Line) left. Glasgow for this port via Sues on the Satt Amil and is expected here on the 4th June

N.Y.R. s.s. Iyo Marn (European Line) left London for this port via Suez on the 8th May, and is expectad here on the 17th Ju e. the N.Y.K. s.s. Durban Mare (Hamburs Line left London for this port vi Suez on the 8th May and is expected here on the 19th June. The N.Y. K. s.s. Topama Maru (Hambaric

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WEATHER REPORT.

May 441 194 34m -No returns from Japan, Vladivostock and Indo-China. Pressure has increased considerably: at Shanghai, and slightly elsewhere. No summery of pressure distribution can be given owing to lack of telegraphic

returns. Hongkong Rainfall for the 24 hours ending at 10 a.m. to-day, 0.00 inch. Total mines January 1st, 10.88 inches. equinst an average of 19-14 inches.

Forecast for the 24 hours coding at mon on May 23rd. 1.-Hongkong to Gap. Rock.

E. and S.E. winds, moderate; fine. t.-Formosa Channel. The same as No. 1.

1.—South coast of China between Hongkons and Lamooks. The same

t.-Nouth coast of China between Hongking and Hainan. The same as No. 1

T. F. CLAXION, Director. Hongkong Observatory, May 23, 1920.

HONGKONG TIDES.

The tide-table, wiven below has been ompiled at the National Almanac Office in London from the result of the analysis if observations taken by means of an untomatic tide-recording machine in the Water Police Basin at Islm Sha Tsui juring the years 1908-9.

The zam of the table corresponds with he rero of the sounding in the Admiralty hart, which has been found to be 4 test inches below mean sea-level

To obtain the depth of water on the ade gauge at the Victoria Naval Yard add 3 feet 4 inches, and on the gauge st Lamont Dock, Aberdeen, add 10 feet 4 inches to the beight given in the table.

May 23 to 29, 1920.

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> Mr. Leo d'Almada' appeared before Mr. R. O. Hutchison at the Magistracy this morning, on behalf of Mr. A. E. Hall, and applied for a remand in a case in which a boatwoman was charged at the instance of Sub-Inspector Moss with the theft at Tsimshatsui, of 27 coils of wire valuedat \$217. Mr. d'Almada said Mr. Hall was engaged at the Summary Court and could not attend. His Worship enquired, the facts of the case, and Inspector Moss said that the defendant's junk was engaged at 3 p.m., yesterday, to load some cargo. After the junk had been loaded, the defendant was seen to throw some coils of wire which did not form part of the cargo she was engaged to transport, into the lunk. Remand of a week, ball \$250.

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C. W. BECKWITH, Superintendent Imports and Exports. Hongkong, May 20, 1920.

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Hongkong, May 20, 1920.

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P. P. J. WODEHOUSE, Captain Superintendent Police. Hongkong, May 20, 1920.

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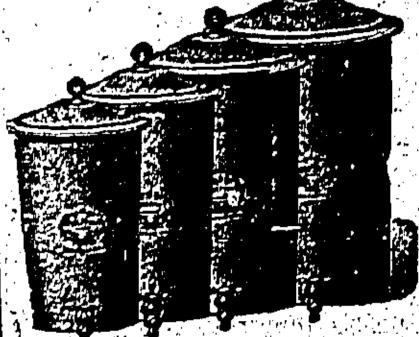
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NIPPON YUSEN KAISHA.

Hongkong, May 18, 1920

From EUROPE and STRAITS.

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Optional Goods will be carried on unless instructions are given to the contrary before NOON, TO-DAY. Goods not cleared by May 27, 1920, will be subject to reut-

Damaged packages must be left in the Godowns for examination by the Consignee's and the Co.'s representatives at an appointed hour on TUESDAY and FRIDAY. All claims must be presented within ten days ... of the steamer's arrival hore, after which date they cannot be recognized. No claims will be admitted after the goods have left the Godowns. NIPPON YUSEN KAISHA

A gents. Hongkong, May 20, 1920.

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NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

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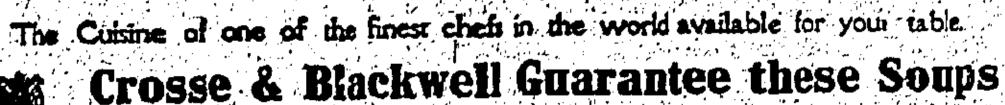
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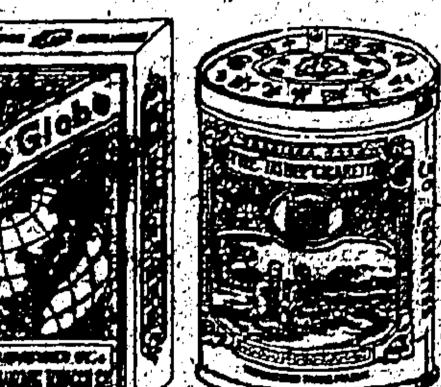
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PROCRASTINATION. tion is as a buckler. It takes the thereafter engaged in recreation. Lenin and Trotzky." place of goloshes or pattens when Sunday? Well, there's the yacht. jobs lie in puddles athwart his and it would seem a shame to waste course. Never do to-day what can your one weekly day of leisure. he put off till to-morrow. That That would be a really painful case aursion would' be, Do not neces evening? Sure. You will do itmay be postponed. That is the to finish that job. pick with which the busy man may times when it turns up trumps, intentions, and is quite honest serves as the stitch in the side of therein. However, we can now, sime that saves nine somethings or understand that he is a nuisance other. For there are many jobs to his friends. that are not really entitled to accomplishment, as is proved by the fact that, after a reasonable period of neglect, they are called a washout, and no one a penny the worse. Letters, for instance. Prograstination in writing letters must have much litigation, saved much money, avoided many a pitfall. Letters left unanswered long. enough, it has been said, answer themselves. Regarded from the angle of the psychologist, there is B source of joy in procrastination. *It adds variety to the emotional life. There upon your desk, beneath your nose, day after day, lies the first rough sketch of the bookplate you promised to draw for a friend... That was done in a rush. in the first fine frenzy of inspiraable, returned it, adding incautiously, perhaps awed by your unusual exhibition of energy, that you

One day you get the ink, and dis-

never" is too strong. The right of Sabbath breaking. Monday

ADVERSARIAS

It is possible, it is PRESIDICE. probable, that the Adversarian has prejudices. [All right, all right. Stop. that clamour. You've noticed Very well, it is admitted.] Being human, he could hardly be emancipate. For a start off, he certainly has a prejudice against prejudice. Following the writing of some recent notes, he realized that he could fairly be called a Pacifist. Following that realization, he saw in a book-shop window a book en-"Main Illusions of Pacific-Ho went in and bought it. favour. Friend passed it as accept- any illusions that the book should any enemy with their futile pin- the name, or that carries its imdemonstrate. It will be admitted, pricks should be shot. We said plications. But there is a Govern- appointed also to the Fire Brigade. perhaps, that it is not common for men "to buy arguments avowedly are not to put yourself out, that against their convictions. He felt quite conceited about it as soon as there is no harry. You take him, he realized what he had done. He at his word, especially as you re-a is still reading the arguments. Require a different ink for the drawsults'to be announced later. ing from that used in the sketch, Is his detestation and you have to go in search of it.

SPIRITUALISM. of the modern his fortifications protecting the harcover that you ought to have a hankering special sheet of paper. Whence? spiritualism prejudice? He has While considering that, more days good friends who assure him it is. slip by. Every once in a while, the They don't know how long, and now dusty sketch pricks your con- with what an open, seeking mind, science. You really must tackle it the investigated before coming to and finish it. It only needs and the conclusions he has formed. 'It hour. But that hour, when it is not prejudice to decide on evicomes, is wanted for a tea proty, dence protand con. On the eviis wanted for something else. so. That is judgment, and it pro-

therein declared that "mediums" means 18 teams, all desiring a public opinion, which is all believe, that he said " if we could players were shut out. Only 12 scorpion. divide medicens into only two out of 18 teams could be accomclasses, 'etc." The man who'l modated. Six League teams had to omitted that " if ! did not give us stand aside. With Army and Navy good evidence, and nearly misted augmenting, and doubtless enterus, into doing Doyle injustice. | ling more teams, what is to happen Are we prejudiced next senson? There used to

COLLIGHT against Col. John niore grounds available when the Ward? It has been candidates were fewer. Now that unfavourable comments on his is least. We suggest; merits as a witness. We do not (I) That the artificial bunkers be-

know him personally. It is in his removed, and the land so cleared capacity as an untrustworthy wit- provide one (or two) extra grounds ness that we dislike him. Now for football. Banish golfers alto-Major H. J. Chillespie, D.S.O., re. gether from the Valley. Very few viewing Ward's book about his of them use it, anyway. Siberian experiences, confirms our (2) Improve the old judgment. Ward was initiated as ground and return it. a Cossack Ataman. Calculate the

he gives no maps-it is difficult to | Bay just beyond the Polo ground. follow his truck. Consider the position of a man who has seen footer while permanent provision is Hess than he wishes its to think he i whose activities have been li omit maps. Says Major Gillespie : | coming season. Many people in England family I series of successful, but bloody, pitch. Shatin can be talked about campaigns against the Bolsheviks, later, when access is bettered, and Apparently the 'Die-Hards' never Kowloon has grown. Say in 1930. lost a man in action, though they lost a lot of blood from mosquitoes, going to approach the Recreation and the only serious operation in Grounds Committee, which seems which they "were engaged ended to be tight-fisted." What we ask is successfully, it is true but only after: the commanding officer and 60 of it the is more interested in sport his men had walked into a booley- than we are) and give the Recreatrup and been spared but he Reds." You remember his public atter- structions such as it would not preances about the people who spaved same to disregard. him? Says Major Gillespie : " Col. Ward's attitude towards the Bolshevik is well known, but he does

ness he was doing us no good. He lant commander in the Navy. The sarily feel obliged to do now what you will set apart Monday evening wrote a leaffet against conscription Government took action that led to once, in which he alleged that the him being superseded, and sent What ass described prograstina- manager of a factory "outside Home. He is now out of the serhowk from the Time Mine pre- tion as the thief of time? Old Zurich. in the presence of a Swiss vice. That wasn't fair. No huscions jewels of leisure. Or, if you George W. Procrast is a squanderer, Colonel, had told him (John Ward) band can (or ought to try to) stop like, it is the specious cunning of of the time which is money, a that he lost nearly 50 per cent. his wife talking, any more than he what South Africa calls the L.D.B. lavish spender of it, a large light- of his men during the autumn should control her vote. The man. It is immoral, let us say, hearted gambler; but no petty maneuvres of 1907, and that his Government's dodge was not only tion of the Birthday of His Majesty on the face of it; but theremay be thief. He really has the best of works might as well have been unfair, it was unwise. It was like closed. Challenged, by a prominent this. A man and his mistress have the Troops will take place in the conscriptionist, he could not furnish quarrelled. She threatens to shoot morning and a Reception and Ball name and address. He could not him. He sends her upstairs, where will be held at Government House identify the Colonel. G. G. Coul- the gun is. He would be wiser to in the evening. ton found (or says he found) that take her on his knee, and hold her no Swiss factory lost more than five there; till she simmers down. In per cent, of its men that way.

> Hongkong: the GOVERNMENT Government now noise about our alleged, slavery AND AVIATION. feels more indulg- that will be heard. If she had aviation, and is prepared to waive would not have been heard. At its old-fashioned and useless restric- least it would have had a better tions on behalf-of the secrecy of chance of blowing over, and she our obsolete fortifications. If the would have been less keen. It is China Mail arguments were respon- now her life business to get even sible for this change of mind, we can with the Hongkong bovernment. only say that they were so meant We see she has John Ward in on to be. We had a long argument the stunt. Our opinion of John with a military officer at the time Ward is that he will not be a help the objections were first mooted. but a hindrance, for his reckless-He reproved our scorn of Hong- ness of statement defeats his obkong's fortifications. We declared ject. There is no slavery here in such permission? that any officer proposing to irritate | Hongkong; nothing that; deserves Hongkong would be attacked, if at | ment which, for punishing a man | all, from the sea outside, and that for his wife's fault, deserves all ton will be struck off the register in only mayal protection could help us. the trouble she can make for it. What's the use of a navy without a harbour?" he demanded. "" Our fortifications protect the harbour, don't they?" He got mad when we professed inability to see where

football, we have given the matter purposes, The hysterical told and Terry, as advertised in the not applied for will be retained unjurther thought, and have come to gentleman seems unaware that columns of the China Mail elsewhere. issed until such time as any further the conclusion that it is too serious there are some moral issues that will have for their benefit a special moneys are actually required. The WALLA-WALLA

vides always for the possibility of flippantly. We must uk the Gov- If a thoughtful cannibal in Borfresh evidence. There is no good ernment to consider a few more rioboolagha sees Carson making a levidence for spiritualism. Conan figures. In allocating its space for fool of himself, he has every right Doyle' does not understand the recreational purposes it is bound to to mention it. America's fault lies nature of evidence. How import- have regard to numbers. Last less in meddling than in refusing and it is to be sure of your evidence. | football season, there were twelve to meddle. It is the duty of any Conan Device and Joseph McCabe teams in the second division, and enlightened people to protest at this have had a big public debate. We six in the first division of the point in history against reaction read a report that Comm Doyle Hongkong Football Langue. That and its stupidities, and to appeal to are either black or white, wholly game each Saturday. There were Americans so far have attempted. fraudident or wholly honest. We only three football grounds at If there is any one man responsible intended to show that this was a Flappy Valley, and with each used for the present horrors in Ireland. Moolish statement. Before we did, for two matches, 2,30 and 4 p.m., that man is Carson. If Casement we read another report, which we this meant that one-third of the was a whip. Carson has been a CAPT, BASTL by the statement TAYLOUR.

wheged, owing to our, the demand is greatest, the supply (:1) Investigate the possibilities effect in bias induced. In this book of the piece of ground at Causeway

being made. These are not alternative schemes note restricted than he has allowed They are all necessary, and urgently Such a main would required to be started now for the

It is suggested that Sookanpoo believe that John Ward fought a valley should provide at least one We hear that the H.K.F.A. that the Governor should look into tion Grounds Committee plain in-

The laugh is on the hereby notify my friends, neigh mess. Hongkong Government, bours, and the public generally that Although we support the I desire henceforth to be called not actually seem to have come into Government, and are against the Juan Smythe, which is my tru contact with anything except very lady, in the difference of opinion and proper name, and surely irregular bands, certainly not with that led to the position, we must longht to know. of Trotzky's disciplined join in the laugh against the Gov-He is anti-lapanese as ernment's way of mishandling the well as anti-Bolshevik, but we need matter. Governments, officials, not go into that. He testifies that nearly always take that line. Here Such an announcement, like the "honest and is a man saying unpleasant, indis-All the world now creet, disturbing things. Hush! from General Janin and How to shut-him up. Charge him parents disbelieve in baptism, conothers, that Ward's opinion of with some offence—that may scare stitutes the "authoritative record Weeks thus glide away, fugaces. Koltchak cannot be squared with him into silence. Banish him— of the beginning of repute, or as the result of recent efforts postume. Or is it. O Father of facts. Says Major Gillespie: which is as wise as the action of usage. There is no law compelling dispose of old machinery. Plant, an, perhaps months? It is cer- "Colonel Ward is obviously at- the mythical ostrick burying its a man to retain his father's or ment or unofficial, bar the China enough. Although we were on ||Muil||, stepped into the open to treat JOHN WAS John Ward's side in her arguments in the natural and one controversy, we simple way of refutation. What RECKLESS. were not pleased to did the Government do? Mrs. find that as a wit- Haslewood's husband was a lieuten-

this case the Government has made We are told that Mrs. Haslewood boil over. She is Hongkong where the gun, is, and is making a ent towards local been permitted to make it here, it

Once more Alax has EGREGIOUS defied the lightning. gazetted as a qualified company once more Edward auditor. Carson has flouted the United States of America. He our protection would come in, with thought it was " high time America or pretended spokesmen of America bour, and the harbour protecting learnt to understand that we are still a great Power, and not sub-"Since our yester- ordinate to America or any other RECREATION day's reference to great Power. We have never medand important a matter to dismiss can never be exclusively national. tram leaving for the Peak at I o'clock. Company capital stands as from 1st

changed his name from Taylor to Taylour by deed poll" eight years ago. That would cost him something. The extra and ap- passed, I will ask Mr. Graham to read parently superfluous yowel need not the notice convening the meeting. have cost him a cent, for it is quite lawful for any man to spell his name as he likes. 'A man's name is whatever he is known by, and he can change it completely, without any deed poll, and establish it legally, so long as he can get his neighbours, his community, to accept it. It was an old legal argument whether the "fees" for changing names were Royal perquisites or not, and the controversy (4) Borrow the Polo ground for the aid of either King or Parlinmens was quite unnecessary. man need do is to advertize that last account, making a total his name is so-and-so, and after \$337,574.08 available for distribution, word for it; and know him and call be disposed of as follows:him by it, it is lawfully established. To pay a dividend of It is lds legal name. If Captain Taylour had notified the reporters eight years ago, that that was the To pay a bonus of 75 proper and authoritative spelling. he need not have wasted any money on a deed poll. Lawvers will not. perhaps, agree to this, becausewell, you can see why, can't you? All that is really needed is a notice in the newspapers, somewhat to this effect: "I, hitherto generally called and known as John Smith. of No. 1. Jones Street, Brownville.

(Signed) JUAN SMITHE (previously John Smith). name entered by the Registrar of Births in the case of infants whose

LOCAL AND GENERAL.

To-day's dollar is worth 4s. 31d. Number plates 201-300 for

motor cycles can be obtained at the Central Police Station. The price is of commission and the latter must during the recent strike by men of \$1.00 per plate and not \$1.50 as in the near future be reckoned on the Navy and Army, without whose previously announced.

On the occasion of the celebrathe King on June 3rd a Review of

GOVERNMENT GAZETJE.

THE GIST OF IT.

from China.

May the China Mail suggest that year, it should be possible to close an additional regulation might be down Wanchai as a centre of supply. advisable, forbidding any higher thus considerably reducing working official to tell the V.S. (who knows expenses. best) when and to whom to issue

The Asiatic Steamship Co. of Canthree months' unless cause he shown. Mr. Brian Oscar Blaker, A.C.A. is

COMPANY MEETING.

HONGKONG ELECTRIC CO. LTD.

The 31st ordinary general meeting of the Hongkong Electric Co. Ltd. holders will continue to receive a was held at the offices, St. George's Building at 11.30 a.m. to-day. Mr. While on this subject I should like A. O. Lang presided and there were

M. Dodwell (Directors), Mr. F. Gra- Company's applications for permisham (Manager), Hon. Mr. Ho Fook, sion to extend operations to Pok-Messrs, R. Hancock, D. V. Steaven- fulum. Aberdeen and elsewhere We are interested son, T. E. Pearce, Ho Kwong, C. A. on the south side of the Island Hooper, Leung Yan Po, Leung Wing as the Directors feel it is only Sang, Ip Fook, Leung Fai Nam, L. right that shareholders should E. Ozorio, O. Baptista, J. M. Alves be apprised of the position generally. and To Tse Hing.

The Chairman: The hour for which this meeting is called being The notice was then read.

The Chairman said :- Gentlemen, the Report and Accounts having been in your hands for some days shall, with your permission, follow the usual procedure, and take them

as read. You will note that fuller particulars of the Company's assets are timated to us that any extensions of furnished on this occasion, and that depreciation is set out in detail in the Balance Sheet, an innovation which I am sure will be appreciated by all brought out and established the fact shareholders. The nest profits, after that usage was sufficient, and that allowing for depreciation, amount to \$210,617.77, to which has to be added All \$126,956.31 brought forward from those about him have taken his and this your Directors recommend

per share on 60,000 shares\$135,000 0

On the other hand, as a set off cents per share To pay a bonus to staff... To carry forward to next

as were paid in respect of 1918/1919 working, and I trust the return \$3 per share will meet with approval of all present. The bonus to staff represent 20% of annual salaries, and as the work out the Island is to be secured. during the period under review has 1 been of a particularly onerous nature, to say on what terms the Govern-I hope this suggested recognition ment will be prepared to grant such of their good services will be licence, but from preliminary consanctioned.

seem excessive, but circumstances warrant such appropriation, and the wisdom of liberal writing down the past has been conclusively proved general practice, is depreciated tainly a long time, a shamefully tracted by a man who can make up head in the sand. Mrs. Hasle- family surname. The only require- on a percentage basis, but during relong time, and your friend's des- his mind and carry out his purpose wood formed certain hasty opinions ment for a change of name is the cent years, when existing appliances perate reference to "hope defer- with energy and efficiency. One about "slavery" in Hongkong recorded evidence of it, and an were taxed to their utmost in con- be applied in reduction of Consumers red " makes your heart sick with cannot resist the conclusion that, during her short stay here. There, equivalent of what the Chinese call sequence of new machinery being charges. That is all I am in a posishame. You really will do it. This with the stage set somewhat differ- was much more data than she was the "seven man letter" would do, unobtainable, that method has not tion to say at present, but the matter evening? Bother, you have an ently, and the hate orchestra aware of, but she expressed those i.e. written notification to sufficient been strictly adhered to, and where will appointment. To-morrow? You'll playing a different tune, he would wrong opinions openly, as she had witnesses to ensure record. An extra provision was considered tion of your Directors, who will To the artist in life, prograstimal be frightfully busy till one, and are have been a tremendous admirer of every right to do. No one, govern- advt. in a newspaper would be good advisable, same was duly made. On closely scrutinise, the present occasion, for instance, terests of the Shareholders, any pro-

> and Dawson City respectively, for of the Company for their ratification both of which high prices were paid. before acceptance. Without these appliances last summer's load could not have been main- place on record an appreciation of tained, but as the former is now out the help rendered to the Company as a standby only, you will readily recognise the necessity of writing to give a continuous supply of light them down on a liberal scale, to the Colony, and I would be failing Shortage of plant continued to hamper the Company's operations' until about the middle of February able. Mr. Fletcher, Commodore last when the new turbines were put Gurner, R.N. and Lieut. Colonel on load at North Point, and with Taylor R.E. for their co-operation in their advent the great strain recent years was relieved... It is still The Company's staff also performed found necessary, however, to con- excellent work during that anxious tinue generating at Wanchai, and running two stations is a somewhat expensive matter, but in order cope with the ever increasing demand for current, new applications for which continue to be received in The Governor has made a regula- large numbers, your Directors, after tion that without the written per- taking counsel with the company's mission of the Colonial Veterinary consultants in London, have placed Surgeon, dogs must not be taken further order in England for a 5,000 from one part of the colony to kilowatt set. With the installation another, and no dogs brought in of this set, which I hope will be sometime during the course of the present

Consumers would no doubt welcome the recent reduction of 2 cents Mr. Donald Burlingham, A.S.P., is per unit in the price of current for when it was necessary to adjust, to a higher level, the scale of wages to Chinese employees, it is confidently expected that the low rate of 18. cents will in time attract a large volume of new business, which will more than compensate the Company

shareholders held on January 28 and February 16 last, when the Capital of the Company was increased by capitalising reserves and issuing 120,000 new shares, I am pleased to in these day, advance and not stand tell you, that with very few Those who visit the Repulse Bay exceptions shareholders exercised GROUNDS. the compared died with exclusively American Hotel to-night to enjoy the entertain- their option of subscribing for the claims of golf and questions, even for electioneering ment offered by the Misses De Vine latters and the very small number

March last, therefore, at approximately \$2,400,000, and I must here observe that with such increase it can hardly be expected that it will be possible to maintain the same rate of dividend as that now achieved, viz: \$3 per share, though there is every reason to believe that sharegood return on their investments. to take the opportunity of making some statement regarding the Hon. Mr. John Johnstone, Mr. G. Government's attitude towards the As perhaps you are aware no extensions of the Company's mains can be made without the necessary powers being granted by the authorities. At the time when the lines to Repulse Bay and to the Dairy Farm at Pokfulum were allowed under temporary way leave it was intimated that this way leave would be withdrawn unless satisfactory terms for lighting the various districts on the south side of the Island can be arranged. It has further been inexisting mains can only be considered on the terms of an arrangement between the Company and the Government on some such lines as are applicable to Public Utility Companies of similar nature in the United Kingdom. There, as you may know, the authorities exercise a certain amount of control over prices charged to consumers, and it is now made clear that this Company will have to submit to certain restrictions in this direction as the price

against the restrictions which seeks to impose, the Government offers the Company a monopoly of the public electric lighting of the whole Island for a term of years, a monoply which would obviously be of immense value to us. Such extension is of course essential Dividend and bonus are the same if the Company is to develop, and in these circumstances your Directors foresee that negotiations with the the Government may have to proceed on the lines indicated if the necessary licence to supply current through-

of obtaining permission to extend

its operations in the manner desired.

am not yet in a position versations which have taken place it The amounts allocated for purposes would appear that there will be no depreciation may at first sight interference whatever, either in the control or actual working of the Company's business, which will be continued exactly as at present, while the financial arrangements, and the dealing with the distribution profits, will remain in the hands of the Board, subject to some stipulation that after profits reach a certain figure a portion of any surplus should it has been deemed expedient posals which the Government may to make generous allowance in ultimately formulate, and will, as respect of the second hand plants they conceive it their duty to do, lay obtained from The Dock Company the terms before a general meeting

> Before concluding I should like to aid it would have been impossible opporunity of thanking the Honourmaking these arrangements possible. period, and although many hours of leisure had to be sacrificed, the additional duties were carried out in a cheerful spirit.

I now beg to propose the adoption of the Report and Accounts as presented, and after they have been seconded I shall be pleased to answer to the best of my ability any questions which shareholders may desire

Mr. R. Hancock: Mr. Chairman and Gentlemen. In rising to second the adoption of the Report and Accounts. I think I am voicing the opinion of all shareholders in congratulating the General Agents and Directors on the fine working for 1919 and on the continued prosperity of this Company. The figures we lighting and fans, and although this have before us to-day show that has been granted just at the time in spite of the difficulties of the last few years on account of insufficient p'ant to meet the increased demand for current, the Company has successfully surmounted them and the satisfactory running of the plant reflects the greatest credit on With reference to the meetings of all concerned. The Chairman has has been ordered from England and this progressive policy will meet with the general approval of all shareholders, I am sure. We must still and any action which our General Agents and Directors take to: (Continued on , Page 5)

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COMPANY MEETING.

(Continud from Pages 4.) keep our plant up to the highest state of efficiency, will, I know, give confidence and ensure a continuance the prosperity which this Company has had in the past. The Chairin referring to depreciation has stated that at first sight the amount set aside for this might seem excessive, but I think we all agree that it is only by liberal depreciation in the past that the Company's position is as sound as it is to-day. Nothing is more evident in modern industry than the rapidity with which plant and machinery Nicholl. become obsolete, and it is of the greatest importance to write: reserve fund for their replacement. arrived on the "Professor" As we know during the war it was that almost impossible to replace plant older residents of the Colony will and even now it is not easy and the have to look to their laurels. cost to-day is three or four times

therefore demands that the sum set usual pleasant and efficient style. aside should be considerable. No one having the Company's interests. at heart can cavil at the amounts which have been allocated for this We have listened with great interest to the Chairman's remarks, concerning the negotiations which are now going on between the Company and the Government in connection with the proposed extension of the side of the Island and whilst not day up to Tuesday. They are ference in the actual working Jackson is the prime mover in reasonable that with a public utility

can safely leave the negotiations in the hands of our Directors, who will I am sure give every care and consideration to this innovation as far as Hongkong is conderned. The bonus to the staff has been well earned, and will I know meet

with the hearty approval of the

shareholders. With these remarks

have much pleasure in seconding the Report and Accounts as presented. The Chairman: The report and accounts are now before the meeting for discussion. There being ed. Those in favour please signify in such emotions as pain, pleasure, and crank shaft—an arrangement which

the Directorate.

Mr. Baptista: I beg to second. the appointment G. M. Dodwell to a seat on the Directorate be confirmed. Those favour: please signify. Against? Carried unaminously. Hon. Mr. Lau Chu Pak has joined the Board and his appointment requires confirma-

Mr. T. E. Pearce: I have pleasure in proposing that the appointment of the Hon. Mr. Lau Chu Pak as a sterious beam came to rest upon a Director be confirmed.

Mr. Ozorio: I beg to second. posed by Mr. Pearce and seconded chair. Such action however, set by Mr. Ozoria that the appointment the beam on the run again. of the Hon Mr. Lau Chu Pak as returned smiling, it being ap-Director be confirmed. Those in parently obvious to him that an favour please signify. Against? "attack in the rear" had been Carried unanimously. In accordance imagined, causing the excitement with the Articles of Association the recorded. "Let us try a pin-prick." Hon. Sir Paul Chater and the remarked Dr. Waller, making a Hon. Mr. John Johnstone retire but vicious dab at the patient's knuckles. being eligible offer themselves for Though only a feint, the effect was re-election.

pose that the Hon. Sir Paul Chater experiment the pin pierced the skin. and the Hon. Mr. John Johnstone be and though practically no re-elected Directors.

Ho Fook and seconded by Mr. claimed, cheerfully, "Now I am going Leung Yan Po that Those in favour please signify, tion of lighted matches to the patient's Against? Carried unanimously.

tion of an Auditor. that Mr. C. Bernard Brown be re- be thus recorded, other than admitelected auditor for the ensuing year. ting that this aspect of the subject

The Chairman: It has proposed by Mr. Steavenson and upon many important physiological seconded by Mr. Ho Kwong that problems," he explained, "for a Mr. C. Bernard Brown be reelected suditor for the ensuing ly to understand the temperament of Those in favour? Against? Carried unanimously. That is all the business. Thank you for your attendance. Dividend warrants are now ready and can be had on application at the office.

TENNIS.

The final of the Men's Doubles Handicap at the H.K.C.C. last evening Major Greenaway and Major Ardoino beat Major Timmis and Captain Monteith 6-1, 6-2, 8-6. The match only attracted a smill attendance.

The you want a clear head and good digestion you must not let your bowels become clogged with poisonous waste from the body, as is always the case when you become constipated. Proper food an abundance of water and plenty of outdoor exercise should keep your bowels regular. When that fails you should take Chamberlain's Tablets. They cause a gentle movement of the bowels and are easy and pleasant to take. For sale by all Chemists and Storekeepers. -attendance.

his patient"

R.G.A. WHIST DRIVE.

A very pleasant evening was spent by those who attended the Whist Drive held yesterday at the R.G.A. Sergeants' Mess. Victoria Barracks. Nearly a hundred players took part. The recipients of the beautiful

prizes were as follows: Ladies :- lst Mrs. Hunt, 2nd Mrs Skinner, 3rd Mrs. Holdman, 4th Mrs. Bacon. Consolation: - Mrs. Tidy.

Gents:--lst Q.M.S. Gooch, R.A.S.C. 2nd Sgt. Davis, R.G.A. 3rd Mtr. Gnr. Bines, R.G.A. Consolation: Mr. It will be interesting to know tha

four of the prize winners recently it looks as though

The duties of M. C. were carried what it was normally, and prudence out by Master Gunner May in his

KINEMA NOTES.

Two big attractions will be shown · Company's business on the south at the Hongkong Theatre from towelcoming any Government inter. modern Enoch Arden " in which Joe of the Company it would appear exciting and interesting comedy, and "Bright Lights," featuring Company such as this is, in exchange popular Mabel Normand. The profor increased facilities, a certain pro- grammes are confined to comedy and. portion of any surplus after a fair in addition to the two films mentionreturn on capital has been secured ed above, will include "She needed a should go to reducing the cost of doctor." In spite of the expense of current to consumers. As no parti- securing these pictures the price of kept in Hongkong for urgent trips. culars are at present available of admission has not been advanced. the proposed scheme it is not pos- This should ensure big houses during sible to criticise it, but I think we the run of these plays.

"KNOW THYSELF.

A STRANGE INVENTION.

no questions I will put the pro- meaning of the phrase-is now possi- the driving power of the engine. posal. It has been proposed by ble by the aid of the electrical inven- In this new type the ignition takes myself and seconded by Mr. Richard | tion of Dr. Augustus Waller (director | place between two pistons in one Hancock that the report and state of the Physiological Laboratory, Uni-cylinder, forcing the pistons apart. ment of accounts as presented be adopt- versity of London), which records Each piston is connected to the the usual manner. Against? Carried fear, whether springing from the gives a very even turning movement unanimously. The next business is imagination or otherwise. A Daily to the shaft. Other advantages are the confirmation of the appointment | Chronicle (London) representative claimed, including a very marked of Mr. G. M. Dodwell to a seat on was thus introduced to himself by the saving in space, which is very im-Mr. Ho Kwong! I beg to pro- arm chair, facing the recording screen "scavenging" (clearing the products pose that the appointment of Mr. -a strip of linen bearing a measure- of combustion out of the cylinder). G. M. Dodwell to a seat on the ment register a pair of electrodes. The design lends itself to the replace-Board of Directors be confirmed, connected with a Wheatstone-bridge ment of steam engines in ships The Chairman: It has been his left hand. "Pull down the blinds," propellers, as the double piston proposed by Mr. Ho Kwong said Dr. Waller to the lady assistant, arrangement gives the low propeller was becoming excited through anti-present under construction. cipation of the impending operations. Now we'll let it settle down and take your measurement," explained

the professor. Gradually the myfigure of the index. "That's right: now we can commence," he added, The Chairman: It has been pro- disappearing behind the "operating" apparent by the instantaneous move-Hon. Mr. Ho Fook: I beg to pro. ment of the beam. In a second was experienced the beam was Mr. Leung Yan Po: I beg to so affected that it travelled right off the screen. The Chairman: 'It has been beam having been brought back Mr. into position the professor ex-Sir to burn you." Immediately the Paul Chater and the Hon Mr. John beam registered an involuntary Johnstone be re-elected Directors, protest, and the subsequent applicahand set the beam in motion with The next business is the re-electivarying rapidity. Dr. Waller refused to commit himself by making any Mr. Steavenson: I beg to propose statement whether will power could Mr. Ho Kwong: I beg to second. was being studied. "The use of the been instrument should throw a new light doctor is by this means able thorough-

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SEAPLANE STUNTS.

EXHIBITION PROMISED.

There was much craning of necks and excited gesture among the populace of Hongkong last evening when a seaplane circled over the city, but the excitement and interest aroused by the exhibition flight to Repulse Bay vesterday will be mild to that promised by Captain Ricou who hopes to bring several of his machines here within the next fortnight and give jexhibition fights over the harbour and ar Repulse Bay. The date of both exhibitions has not yet been definitely

In his flight to Repulse Bay yesterday evening, Capsain Ricou, who had arrived from Macao in thirty minutes? that morning, was accompanied by Captain A. G. Lamplough of the Union Insurance Society, an experienced aviator who saw service in the Captain Ricou circled over the bay in front of the hotel but did not land, returning just before nightfall and remaining in Hongkong last night.

He returns to Macao to-day. When all the formalicies have been completed the Far East Aerial Transport Co. will begin a daily service between mongkong and Macao, mak- By Order of the Mortgagees ing the fares as cheap as possible in order to popularise aviation. It is also hoped that the Govern-

ment will make available a small postions of the harbour for "landing without obstruction from shipping, The Company has 12 machines -two built to carry twelve passengers each, live to carry six passengers each, and the remainder to carry two or three passengers each. If a portion of the beach were made available by the Government, stated Captain Ricou, a machine would always be-

NEW BRITISH MARINE OIL ENGINE.

A new type of marine oil engine has been introduced by a leading flower and vegetable gardens and firm of engineers and shipbuilders in Great Britain. The ordinary type | joining thereto, all artistically designed of oil engine has a single piston in | in the Chinese style. Its area is about each cylinder; this piston compresses | 21,000 sq. ft. mixture of air and oil vapour against the end of the cylinder, and of sale, apply to the consequent ignition forces the To "know thyself"—in an ample piston outwards and thus provides professor. Seated comfortably in an portant on board ship, and improved and galvanometer, were attached to without alterations of the shafts or A beam of light, which already was speed of 110 revolutions per minute wobbling about on the screen, com- with an actual piston speed of 450 menced to travel along the course. feet per minute, equivalent to 900 You are already going through the feet per minute in the ordinary type mill." he observed, the progress of the of engine. Two 1,000 horse power beam having indicated that the patient lengines of the new type are at

TO-DAY'S ADVERTISEMENT

HONGKONG CRICKET CLUB.

TENNIS TOURNAMENT

Open Championship Singles, CHALLENGE ROUND M. W. LO v. NG SZE KWONG, (Holder 1918 & 1919).

Weather permitting, this match will be played on TUESDAY, 25th May at 4.30

The Prizes won during the tournsment will be presented after the match. Booking at Moutree & Co.

TO-DAY'S ADVERTISEMENTS.

FIRE INSURANCE "ASSOCIATION OF HONGKONG.

WHIT MONDAY. OTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that

will be CLOSED for the Transaction of Public Business on MONDAY, the 24th By Order,

LOWE, BINGHAM & MATTHEWS. Secretaries.

Hongkong, May 22, 1980.

MARINE INSURANCE ASSOCIATION OF HONGRONG.

WHIT MONDAY.

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LOWE, BINGHAM & MATTHEWS. Secretaries Hongkong, May 22, 1930.

MESSRS. LAMMERT BROTHERS IVI. have received instructions to sell by Public Auction

WEDNESDAY, "the 9th day of June, 1920, at 3 o'clock in the afternoon, at their

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Hongkong, May 17, 1920.

TO SECRETARIES OF CLUBS AND OTHER INSTITUTIONS.

A.S. from, to-day, all preliminary notices of forthcoming meetings, ectures and entertainments, sent for insertion in the news columns of the "CHINA MARL," will be charged for at the rate of \$1, each, providing they do not occupy more than four lines. this space is exceeded they will placed in the advertising columns at the pravailing rates.

Hongkong, May 17, 1920.

THE "STAR" FERRY CO., LTD. NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

TOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT DINARY ANNUAL MERTING OF THIS COMPANY will be held at the Offices of Mesers. Jardine, Matheson & Co., Ltd., on WEDNESDAY, the 2nd June, 1920, at NOON, for the purpose of receiving the Report of the Directors orether with a Statement of Accounts Soth April 1920. The Register of Shares of the Company

will be CLOSED from WEDNESDAY the 26th May, 1920 to WEDNESDAY, the 2nd June, 1920, both days inclusive By Order of the Court of Directors. W. S. BROWN, Secretary. Hongkong, May 21, 1990.

PACIFIC MAIL STEAMSHIP CO.

NOTICE TO CONSIGNERS.

S. S. "LAKE FAULE,"

rom CALCUTTA via RANGOON, PENANG and SINGAPORE.

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Point, and stored at Consigness risk. Consignees of Cargo are hereby notified that they must produce an Import Permit signed by the Superintendent of the Imports and Exports, Hongkong, before bills of lading can be countersigned.

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All claims must be presented within week of the steamer's arrival here, after which they cannot be recognized. No Claim will be admitted after the Goods have left the Godowns, and all Goods remaining undelivered after May 29th, will be subject to rent. No Fire Insurance whatever will be

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THE TRISH TANGLE.

LONDON, May 19th. In the House of Lords, replying to Lords Salisbury, the Lord Chancelloy emphatically declared that it was the policy of the Government, whether the struggle was short or long, to employ the whole available resources of Britain to restore law and order in Ireland, and render atterly impossible the secessionary campaign at present in progress. The forces of Britain were as deeply committed to carrying to success the Government's purpose in Ireland as they were to carrying out their purpose in the late war. If the troops at present there were insufficient, more would be sent. The only limits will be the extent and degree of the crisis. If the exacting military formation were insufficient, the Government would not hesitate to ask ther population of the country to merease the forces as in the crisis of the war.

LONDON. May 19th. It is declared that the Government has decided a new policy in Ireland towards offenders. In tuture they will not be intprisoned without trial. Those at present interned will have their cases reviewed by a panel of judges, the nim being to abolish the Defence of the Realm Act procedures and restore legal processes. Vexations restrictions will be removed to the fullest possible extent, and liberty will be restored, but the most vigorous suppression of violence and punishment of perpetrators of outrages have been determined on. Sinn Fein fanatics will be met by armed

forces in unlimited numbers which will besent according to the Chief Secretary's With a view to restoring order numerous military posts have been linked up by the most rapid communication being established in the terrorised districts. Troops

will be made most mobile with small flying columns, with horse and armoured cars. with a view to raiding Terrorist assemlies. The prisoners from these raids will tried and hanged, if convicted of capital offences. The Government believes it knows the majority of the Terrorist leaders. The new policy is being directed by Sir Hamar

Greenwood and General Sir Nevil Mac-

ready who are harmoniously co-operating

in the general policy of conciliation

simultaneously accompanied with relentless war against the Terrorista. London, May 18th. In the House of Commons, during the discussion on the Home Rule Bill and the suggestion of the creation of a Second Chamber both in the North and South Parliaments, Mr. Walter Long emphasised that this would involve a great change in the structure of the Bill, although the change was absolutely consistent with the fundamental principle of the Bill, namely, the establishment of the Federal system. He pointed out that very difficult questions must first be considered, as for example, whether the Second Chamber will be nominated or elected, but he

undertook that the Government would l'ater submit a definite scheme. General Seely urged that Mr. Walter Long's proposal should not be delayed, as delay in handling the Irish question might fatally affect our relations with America and, also, the Empire.

Sir Edward Carson deprecated the mention of America-(Cheers.) It was high time America or pretended spokesmen of America learnt to understand that we are still a great Power, and not subordinate to America or any other great Power. We have never meddled with exclusively American questions, even for electioneer-

Sir Samuel Hoare withdrew his amend-The Government opposed the amendment of Lord Robert Cecil providing that North Ireland should remain in all respects a part of the United Kingdom. The amendment was rejected by 204

votes to 80. The amendment of Mr. J. R. Clynes in favour of the deletion of the essential clause establishing separate Parliaments in North and South Ireland was defeated by 213 votes to 61.

BRITAIN'S ARMY AND NAVY.

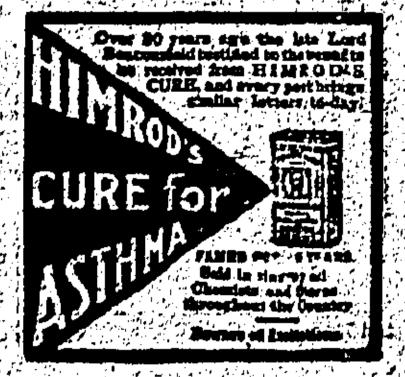
LONDON, May 20th. Mr. Churchill, speaking at a luncheon at the opening of the Military Tournament said now that we had again the broad sunlight of victorious peace we had to keep alve on the scale of the army before the war a small defensive army for imperial police duty, and to keep alive those traditions which a generation hence might be the means of enabling our various communities, usually unprepared, to escape disaster. The Navy must always remain on a mobilised scale. They had always been, and always must be, strong enough, whatever happened, to enable all the other deficiencies to be repaired.

SUDAN PUNITIVE OPERATIONS.

CAIRO, May 18th. The Governor-General of the Sudan reports that a force under Colonel Darwell successfully concluded in two months punitive operations against the tribes responsible for the deaths of Majors. Stigand and White in December last, The enemy's main force was completely surprised and did not offer any resistance. The principal chief surrendered unconditionally. Large captures were made without any serious opposition.

BOLSHEVIK INVASION OF PERSIA.

LONDON, May 18th. The Times correspondent at Teheran in a message of May 11th says that a Bolabovist force has invaded Persia from Azerbaijan to demand the withdrawal of British troops. The chief military forces in Persia are 6,000 South Persidn Rifles, officered by the British; 8,000 Cossacks. under Russians; and 8,000 Swedish gendarmere, commanded by the Persian Govern-



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" MUTTRA "	4,700 22nd May	Straits, Rangoon and

7,000 at 1 p.m. Calcutta. " TAKADA" " SAILINGS (South) AUSTRALIAN EASTERN Sydney via Sandakan, Timor, Thursday Island, Cairns, EASTERN " 25th May 4,000 Townsville & Brisbane.

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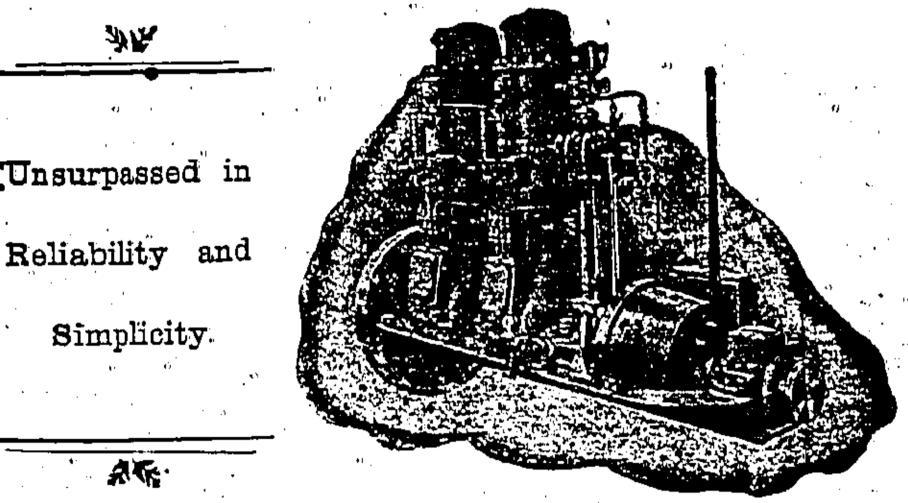
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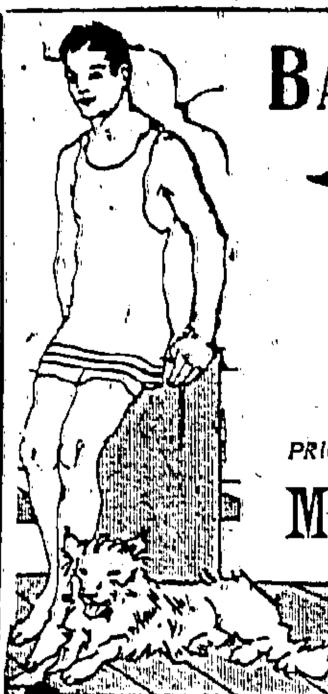
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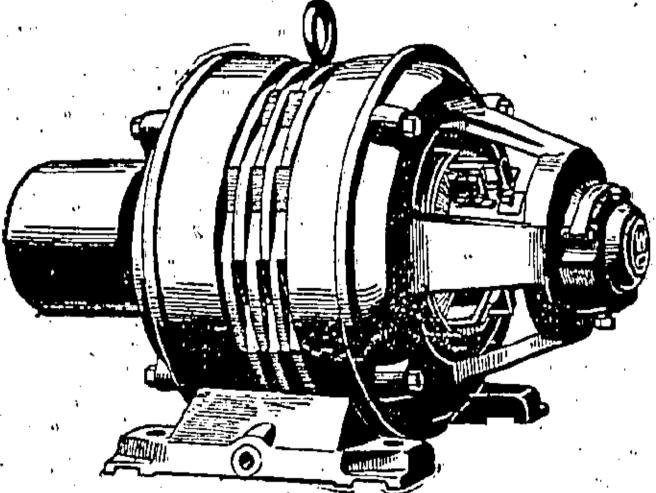
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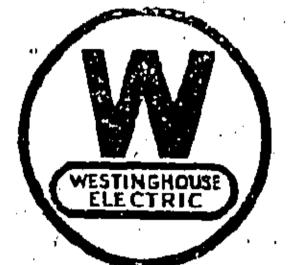
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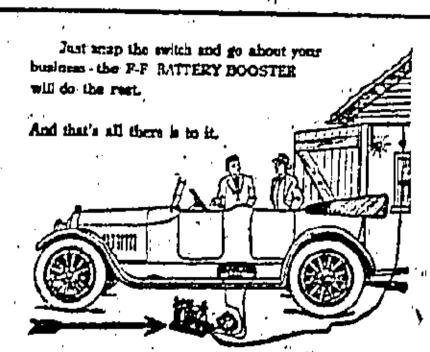
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London, May 19th.

In the House of Commons, replying to Mr. Charles White and Mr. Barnes, Mr. Austin Chamberlain stated that France's net war debt to Britain was, probably, under £500,000,000. There was no definite arrangement reached at Lympne with regard to France's repayment of this debt. The British and French Governments had agreed that the payment of Germany's the cost of the Army of Occupation first, and any sums allowed to Germany for food and raw materiain next. But there would be no question of priority among the Allies in regard to the distribution of the sums available in payment and reparation.

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FOOD PROBLEM IN BRITAIN.

London, May 19th. The Food Controller, Mr. McCurdy. speaking in London last night, declared that, before the abolition of food control was secureable, difficult periods must be passed through. At the present moment the average prices of foodstuffs in Britain were at the very highest point ever reached since the outbreak of the war, and in consequence the national wage bill had been permanently increased for the past two years by £500,000,000. The world's prospective wheat crops were causing every Government in the world the greatest anxiety. Substantial decreases had been reported from North America. Australia and the Argentine Republic. To-day the Argentine Republic was considering whether it was necessary to pro-hibit the export of wheat from the country. Only the Indian wheat crop showed a surplus, but it was not sufficient to balance the diminished output from other sources. It was quite possible that within a few months people in Britain would have to eat war bread of a quality only comparable to the most difficult period of the war. He urged the people to eat New Zealand mutton and have flour bread.

RUSSIAN REFUGEES.

LONDON. May 19th. In the House of Commons, replying to Mr. Rupert Gwynne. Mr. Walter Long paid a tribute to the splendid work of the British Navy in saving the lives of thou sunds of refugees from South Russia and in assisting in the transport of Denikin's army to Crimea. He mentioned that 83,000 persons were evacuated from Novorossisk in February and March during very severe weather.

RHODESIAN DEMAND.

Salisbury, May 18th. The Legislative Council passed a resolution on May 12th requesting the Imperial Government to establish responsible government. The Postmaster-General voted with the elected members in the majority. The minority was composed of the semnated members.

ROME, May 18th. The Council of the League of Nations has telegraphed to President Wilson re-November at Brussels, as Geneva is not yet ready to receive the assembly.

CANADIAN MINISTER AT WASHINGTON.

OTTAWA, May 19th. The House of Commons has rejected, by 68 votes to 63, an amendment in Supply declaring that before any arrangement respecting the permanent representation of Canada at Washington was consummated, the House should be fully informed concerning the negotiations between the Canadian, the Imperial and the United States Governments.

The Hon. W. S. Fielding, the mover,

said that the matter came nearer being a constitutional change than any other pub-

Mr. N. W. Rowell, K.C., President of the Privy Council, defended Canadian representation. Mr. Mackenzie King, the Leader of the

Opposition, supported the motion and condemned secret diplomacy in such

Sir Robert Borden, replying, said that he first discussed the matter three years ago with British Minsters, rediscussed it in 1917 with the British and Domimions Governments, notably Mr. W. Hughes. He paid a tribute to the British Ambassadors' generous efforts in Canada's behalf, but had long felt that Canada ought to have its own Minister at Washington. The Government's action, Sir Robert said, was fully supported by constitutional authority.

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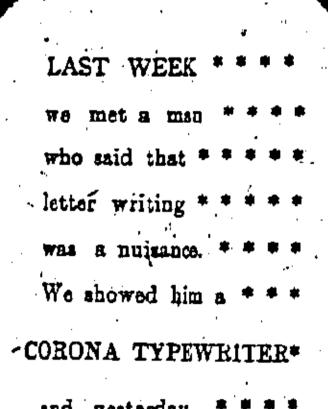


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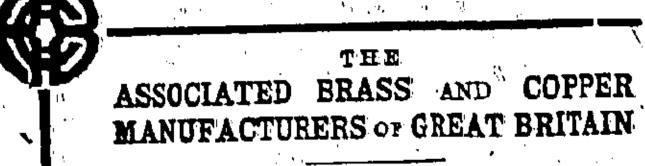
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